



Attorney Docket No.: SEL 285

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Rumo SATAKE

Serial No.: 10/004,245

Filed: November 1, 2001

For: Liquid Crystal Display Device

Examiner: Z. Qi

Art Unit: 2871

I hereby certify that this correspondence
is being deposited with the United States
Postal Service as first class mail in an
envelope addressed to:
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on 9/29/03

Shannon Wallace

Date: September 29, 2003

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97, as revised on February 4, 1992, 1135 OG 23-24, Applicant hereby call the Examiner's attention to documents listed on the attached form, which documents may be material to the examination of this application. A copy of each of the documents is enclosed herewith for the Examiner's consideration.

No inference should be drawn that any apparatus disclosed is equivalent to the subject invention.

The citation of the above-discussed documents is not to be construed as an assertion that more pertinent art could not possibly be in existence. Citation of any document herein is not to be construed as an admission that any subject matter disclosed in the document is necessarily within the inventive field of endeavor, that any disclosure is necessarily prior in time to a particular date which may be relevant to the instant patent application, and/or that any disclosure is otherwise necessarily prior art with respect to the instant invention.

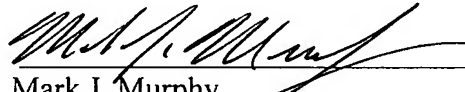
Applicant also respectfully reserves the right to later set forth how the instant invention is distinguished over the disclosure of any document or other art, including the disclosure of

RECEIVED
OCT - 6 2003
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

those documents discussed herein, that may be cited by the Examiner in rejecting a claim in the instant patent application.

As no substantive Office Action has issued in this application, no fee is believed necessary for this IDS. If a fee should be due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50/1039.

Respectfully submitted,



Mark J. Murphy
Registration No. 34,225

COOK, ALEX, McFARRON, MANZO,
CUMMINGS & MEHLER, Ltd.
200 West Adams Street, Suite 2850
Chicago, Illinois 60606
(312) 236-8500

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on 9/29/03



Approved for use through 04/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031

Approved for use through 04/30/2005. OMB 0051-0001
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Complete if Known

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/004,245
Filing Date	November 1, 2001
First Named Inventor	Rumo Satake
Art Unit	2871
Examiner Name	Z. Qi
Attorney Docket Number	SEL 285

Date: September 23, 2003 (Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet	1	of	1
-------	---	----	---

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

**Examiner
Signature**

Date
Considered

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D C 20231.

TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D C 20231.
If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.